

CMICC

Interoperable Communications Project

Phase I: Needs Assessment

STATUS REPORT for the period:

October 10, 2005
Through
October 24, 2005

PREPARED BY: Northrop Grumman

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SECTION 1 – OVERALL PROJECT STATUS

Introduction

The scope of the first Phase of the project, is (from the Statement of Work): "...a broad Needs Assessment of the six member counties of CMICC, a Gap Analysis to determine the gap between where consortium members are today, where they desire and where they need to be, as determined by the Needs Assessment. The project will produce a high-level schedule and workplan, to fill that gap, and a high-level cost to implement it."

Project participants include:

Name	Representing	Project Role
Cindy Mullaney	Pondera County DES	Project Director, Pondera County Representative
Dick Van Auken	Teton County	Teton County Representative
Vince Kolar	Cascade County DES	Cascade County Representative
Linda Williams	Chouteau County	Chouteau County Representative
TBD	Judith Basin DES	Judith Basin County Representative
Karen Marks	Fergus County DES	Fergus County Representative
Sue Demontiney	Chippewa Cree Tribe	Chippewa Cree Representative
Tom Olsen	Northrop Grumman	Project Manager

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Current Overall Project Status

The final report is in progress and will be completed for delivery on October 31st. Preliminary design work is nearing completion with final results to be included in the deliverable report.

Any outstanding data will be noted in the final report. The majority of the data is there and parts that are missing are in regard to site data and subscriber units. There needs to be more detailed site analysis to be conducted during the design phase, so this should be a significant impact to the overall project. Subscriber unit information can have a large impact on the projected costs for upgrades.

The project is currently on time and on budget.

Activities Accomplished as Planned

- ◆ Held stakeholder review meetings in Great Falls, Conrad, Lewistown and Rocky Boy.
- ◆ Received coverage maps from Motorola for several sites which will allow for the finalization of the preliminary design.
- ◆ The preliminary draft was reviewed by CMICC Board on October 20th.

Activities NOT Accomplished as Planned

- ◆ None at this time.

Activities Planned for Next Period

- ◆ Submit final deliverable report.

Project Issues

None at this time.

Project Risks

None at this time.

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County-By-County Overall Status

Pondera

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	July 11, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	July 18, 2005
Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Cindy Mullaney	July 18, 2005
Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Cindy Mullaney	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Cindy Mullaney	August 26, 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Cindy Mullaney	October 4, 2005
Letters of Support	Complete	Cindy Mullaney	October 4, 2005

Teton

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 12, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 25, 2005
Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Dick Van Auken	August 2005
Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Dick Van Auken	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Dick Van Auken	August 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Dick Van Auken	September 2005
Letters of Support		Dick Van Auken	

Cascade

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 3, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 9, 2005
Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Vince Kolar	August 23, 2005

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Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Vince Kolar	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Vince Kolar	August 23, 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Vince Kolar	October 11, 2005
Letters of Support		Vince Kolar	

Chouteau

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 12, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 24, 2005
Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Linda Williams	August 24, 2005
Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Linda Williams	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Linda Williams	August 24, 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Linda Williams	August 24, 2005
Letters of Support		Linda Williams	

Judith Basin

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 3, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 10, 2005
Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Charlie Kolar	August 18, 2005
Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Charlie Kolar	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Charlie Kolar	August 18, 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Charlie Kolar	August 18, 2005
Letters of Support		??	

Fergus

Task	Status	Owner	Due
Schedule County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 10, 2005
Hold County Needs Assessment Meeting	Complete	Tom Olsen	August 16, 2005

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Compile and return County Stakeholders List	Complete	Karen Marks	September 9, 2005
Distribute Questionnaires	Complete	Karen Marks	July 1, 2005
Fill out and return Questionnaires	Complete	Karen Marks	September 9, 2005
Fill out and return Site Survey(s)	Complete	Karen Marks	October 20, 2005
Letters of Support	Complete	Karen Marks	October 20, 2005

SECTION 2 – STATUS OF MILESTONES AND DELIVERABLES

As the project progresses, more milestones will be added, with completion dates.

Milestones	Planned Finish Date	Revised Finish Date	Actual Finish Date	Status	Comments
Project Kickoff	July 8, 2005		July 8, 2005	C	
Completion of County Stakeholder Meetings	Aug. 26, 2005		Aug. 25, 2005	C	
Completion of Site Surveys	Aug. 31, 2005	Sept. 19, 2005	Oct. 11, 2005	C	
Compilation of Questionnaire, Survey, and etc. material for deliverable	Aug. 31, 2005	Sept. 19, 2005	Oct. 20, 2005	C	
First Draft of Deliverable	Oct. 20, 2005		Oct. 20, 2005	C	
Final Deliverable Due	Oct. 31, 2005				
Project Sign-off	Oct. 31, 2005				
IP = IN PROGRESS C = COMPLETED / ACCEPTED					

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SECTION 3 - FINANCIAL STATUS

Invoice Activity & Financial Summary

Invoice Date	Invoice Amount
July 29, 2005	\$7590.38
August 24, 2005	\$17,550.00

SECTION 4 - PROJECT STAFFING

As of the end of the reporting period, the following staff are (or have been) assigned to the project for some level of effort:

Tom Olsen – Project Manager

Mark Adams – assigned to the project as a consultant. He will be used by the Project Manager as necessary for consultation.

SECTION 5 – CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITIES

- ◆ Control Scope – In each project or work order that Northrop Grumman undertakes, it is critical that the scope of expectations from our customers be clear and unchanging. If the scope does need to change, documentation to support this and clarify it is required. The Decision/Information Request (DIR) and Project Change Request (PCR) documents and processes will be used to control and document change.
- ◆ Respond to Project Control Documents in a Timely Manner - It is critical that Issues, DIRs and PCRs be responded to in a timely manner by our customer. Untimely responses may impact the ability to complete important project tasks.

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- ◆ Make Policy Decisions – The CMICC will provide detailed and accurate policy decisions in order to allow the timely progress of system design and development.
- ◆ Review Deliverables – It is the responsibility of the clients to thoroughly review all project deliverables. Since the client is the one who ultimately knows and understands the business requirements better than anyone else, the responsibility of making sure all business requirements are met largely falls on their shoulders. Careful and thorough review of all project deliverables will help ensure the success of the project.
- ◆ Coordinate County-Level Contacts And Information Gathering – The County Representatives of the CMICC are responsible for coordinating the contacting of project stakeholders at the county level and information gathering from those stakeholders.